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JOHN C LEAKE HAS PASSED AWAY

ONE OF EARLIEST LEE COUNTY PIONEERS IS CALLED IN DEATH.

HIS CHILDREN LIVE HERE

Hauled Grain to Chicago Overland Before the Days of Railroads in This State.

John C. Leake, formerly farmer and stock raiser in Nachusa township, but for the past six years a resident of Dixon, died at his home at the corner of Galena avenue and Sixth Street Friday afternoon at 4:30 after several weeks' illness at the age of 76 years, 8 months and 24 days.

Mr. Leake was born in Leicestershire, England, Dec. 7, 1836, and came to America with his mother and others of the family in 1841, his father having preceded them here to prepare a home for them on their arrival. John C. Leake therefore became one of the "pioneer children" of Lee county and was well acquainted with the disadvantages of pioneer life, having hauled grain and driven stock to Chicago market with teams, railroads then being a convenience unheard of in this section.

Sept. 21, 1863, Mr. Leake was married to Maryetta, daughter of Leonard W. and Sarah A. Hale. To this union were born four children, three of whom, Charles W., Jennie F. and Grace M., have preceded him to the spirit land, leaving of his immediate family to mourn his departure his widow, one son, T. Wilbur Leake, a brother, Thomas Leake, all of Dixon, and one sister, Mrs. Sarah F. Burrus of Santa Anna Cal., together with many relatives and hosts of friends who regret his passing beyond.

Mr. Leake was a stockholder and director in the First National bank of Amboy and four officers of that bank, F. N. Vaughan, H. H. Badger, W. B. Vaughan and W. A. Green, together with Robert Reed, Clark Butler, Wm. Woolcott of Temperance Hill and Wm. Graves of Dixon, all neighbors and friends, will officiate as pall bearers at the funeral, which will be held at the family residence, 603 Galena avenue, on Monday, Aug. 4, at 10 a. m., with interment at Temperance Hill, near Mr. Leake's old home. Mr. Leake was a member of the Congregational church and the services will be conducted by Rev. C. E. Stebbins, of the West Side Congregational church.

WRECK CLEARED AWAY.

Not until this morning was the wreckage of the derailed freight cars at Cortland cleared up, and as a result all trains from the east were several hours late, due to the detour via West Chicago, Belvidere and DeKalb.

FREPORT GREEK SUICIDES.

Freeport, July 31.—While seated with friends yesterday George Bilos, as he was known, a Greek about 22 years of age, suddenly drew a revolver from his pocket, placed it to his head and pulled the trigger. The bullet passed through his brain causing instant death. The affair took place at the Greek restaurant of Peter Vikas. The body was later taken to the Moore morgue and the inquest was held last evening.

THE BROADWAY GIRL

The Broadway Girl is introduced to Telegraph readers this evening in a beautiful song which will be found on page 3. Miss Broadway's charms are told in a song fully as charming as she, the song being one of John Blaney's greatest vaudeville successes.

COLD IN NORTH.

Word was received by Blake Grover this morning from Commissioner W. A. Schuler, who is spending his vacation in Minnesota, asking that his overcoat be sent to him there. Mr. Schuler states that it is "colder than Blixen" in the northern state.

Miss Christina Odenthal of Clinton Ia., is here to visit her parents.

Mrs. Adams of route 2 was here today.

BULLETIN

AMERICANS OUT OF DANGER

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 2.—Special.—The last of the Americans in Chihuahua City were brought here today on special trains over the Mexican National railway, guarded by Mexican federal troops.

COMPLETES TRIP.

Minneapolis, Aug. 2.—Special.—Amid the roar of cannons, clanging of bells and tooting of whistles Edward Payson Weston, the veteran walker completed his tramp of over 1500 miles from New York City here today.

FREAK PIG IS BORN

TWO BODIES, BOTH NORMAL IN SIZE, AND WITH BUT ONE HEAD.

Freeport Standard: A freak pig was born yesterday at the county home. There are two perfectly formed bodies with but one head. Both bodies were full size, each having four legs, but at the shoulder they were joined onto one head. The deformity lived a few hours after birth. Supt. Eells has placed the freak in alcohol.

Recently a freak calf was born at the county home, having six perfectly formed legs.

WATSON ICE IS EXHAUSTED

EXCESSIVE HEAT TAKES ALL OF NATURAL ICE LEAVING ONLY ARTIFICIAL PLANT.

The Dixon Pure Ice Co. has suspended operations here for the year, says S. N. Watson, because of ice shortage and has made arrangements with the Distilled Water Ice Co. to have them handle all the Natural Ice company's business the rest of the summer.

Mr. Watson's crew and equipment will be in service as before helping supply the local trade. The excessive heat has had much to do with the enormous use of ice, says Mr. Watson and he also added that his crop was small this year. There is a shortage all over the country and prices are soaring in consequence.

A THRILLING NARRATIVE.

The Telegraph has just arranged with the Polar Publishing Co. of Chicago to handle Dr. Cook's book, "My Attainment of the Pole," a drama of human suffering, and a splendid single-handed victory. The full and final record of the most wonderful journey since the days of Columbus. A complete uncovering of the dark pages of the most sensational controversy in history.

Thousands of people heard Dr. Cook's lecture at the Rock River Assembly, and were convinced in his sincerity. A new interest has now been aroused in the Polar problem. Every one will want to know the truth, to read the thrilling narrative as penned by the man who first stood on the world's top.

The book contains 650 finely illustrated pages, bound in handsome corrugated terra verte cloth. It is the kind of a travel-book that is usually sold for \$5.00, but the Telegraph, to accommodate its readers, and to give them an opportunity of getting this interesting story, has arranged for a large number of these books, and will sell them at cost.

This handsome volume will be given with one coupon, clipped from our paper, and seventy cents. This is a splendid offer, and we feel sure that our readers will take advantage of it. Look for notice of arrival.

CHICAGO PARTY VISITS DIXON

TWENTY-FOUR MEMBERS OF PARK RIDGE MOTOR CLUB HERE.

Twenty-four members of the Park Ridge Motor club of the Chicago suburb of that name arrived here today at noon in their autos and after registering at the Dixon Inn for supper room and accommodations tomorrow, left for Grand Detour where they took dinner this afternoon. They will return to Dixon this evening and tomorrow will take a boat up the river, returning here for dinner tomorrow.

HAS BEEN IN BED FOR THIRTY THREE YEARS

ABE TRAEVER, OF NEAR GRAND DETOUR, HAS HAD LONG STRUGGLE.

Living near Oak Ridge is a man who has been confined to his bed continuously for the past 33 years, during which time he has been practically helpless. That man, the greater part of whose life has been spent on the flat of his back, is Abe Traever, and his condition is the result of spinal trouble which developed in 1880. Physicians have exhausted their entire fund of knowledge in an effort to bring about some improvement in his condition, but their efforts have been in vain and today the unfortunate man lies there, an example of the wonderful vitality of a human being.

RICHARD EATTINGER DIED IN QUINCY

FORMER RESIDENT OF PALMYRA DIED AT SOLDIERS' HOME —FUNERAL SUNDAY.

Richard Eatingter, a civil war veteran and former resident of Palmyra and Rock Falls, died at 1:30 p. m. Friday at the soldiers' home at Quincy, from old age. The funeral will be held at 2:30 p. m. Sunday at his son's home, Wallace Eatingter, of Gap Grove, with interment at Prairieville cemetery.

Deceased was born in Portage county, O., March 18, 1843 and was married in 1867 to Miss Elmira Heskett of Des Moines. He served in the civil war, enlisting in Co. D, 7th Kas. Vols., Jan. 1, 1864. For many years he lived in Palmyra township, where he will be remembered by many as a sturdy, reliable and good man, and these friends will tender condolence to the bereaved relatives. He is survived by his widow, now with her son in Palmyra and the following children: Wallace, Palmyra; Elmer, Portland, Ore.; Richard, Jesse, Earl, Chicago; Belle, wife of Lauren Murray of De Moines, and Bertha, wife of Albert Slover of Chicago. The brothers and sisters are: Wm., Seward, Neb.; Charles, Dundee; Harry, Carpenterville; George, Louisiana; Wallace, Kansas; Mrs. Harrison Leath, Kas.; Mrs. Rhoda Meister, Havana, O.; Mrs. Henrietta Stone, Keosauqua and Mrs. Ida Dohmeyer, West Springs, Ill.

CONGRATULATES CLUB.

The Dixon Fish club has received a letter of thanks from the Illinois Fish Conservation society for the contribution to the work which was made by the local club and also for the energy shown in having the fish preserve petitions signed here. The society urged the local club to get in touch with Commissioner Dittmar of Freeport, who has just been appointed chairman of the state game and fish commission.

WORK AT INTERSECTION.

The brick work at the intersection of Ottawa avenue and First street was started this morning and Foreman Croft put every available man on the job in order that it could be completed, filled with asphalt and thrown open for use Sunday.

MOTOR VEHICLES THE CAUSE FOR PLAY GROUNDS

MOLINE HAS INAUGURATED NEW POLICY FOR EXTENDING OF PLAY GROUNDS.

UNDER SUPERVISION OF SCHOOL TEACHERS

Play Grounds Are Being Extended and Modern Play Ground Apparatus Being Installed.

The advent of the auto and motorcycle has hastened the public playground. A few years ago parents did not consider it dangerous to have children play on the public streets. Today the careful parent in cities without public play grounds finds it necessary to carefully watch the children and keep them off the streets, due to the auto and motorcycle. The time is approaching when Dixon will have to meet this important feature. Many other cities and some not as large as Dixon have public playgrounds supervised by competent officials as an assurance that the children will be well cared for while on the grounds. Recently in Princeton the good women of the city raised a fund and established a playground, and it is supervised by the head of the schools.

Moline Playgrounds. While Moline progressed rapidly it made little or no provision for playgrounds, but now in the height of its growth and prosperity, Moline finds it necessary to equip its parks with playground apparatus. In the east end of that city a large ground is being fitted up with all kinds of apparatus, including swimming pools, hammocks, teeter totters, chute the chutes, swings, baseball diamonds, and all things that go to make the playground a popular place. The board of education at the present time has supervision of this important feature of municipal affairs, although the city furnishes the apparatus for the grounds. The playground is supervised by members of the teaching corps and it works very satisfactorily.

To Extend Grounds. Moline is now trying to catch up with the procession in playgrounds and is planning to extend and enlarge the grounds. One commissioner there stated that the motor vehicles were hastening the establishment of public playgrounds and he believed they were just as necessary as a municipal building. He said that while the law makes it unlawful for children to play on the streets, residents object to their playing on vacant lots and they are chased from place to place until they finally resort to other means for play and recreation. They get the cigarettes, card playing, and some of them do not become good citizens. The commissioner stated that public playgrounds are necessary for the children of today. If they are expected to be good citizens tomorrow.

SPECIAL PRICE ON TICKETS.

The Assembly management has offered a special price on season tickets for the last eight days of the season. Tickets will be put on sale tomorrow for \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for children. This special price is to stimulate the sale of the season tickets.

MONTHLY SHIFT.

The annual monthly shift of the policemen took place yesterday. Officer Whetstone assuming the day beat and Officer Winters, who has been on duty during July, going on the night shift.

WEATHER REPORT

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation is taken each morning at 7 o'clock and is for the preceding 24 hours:

	Max	Min.	Precip
Sunday	92	66	
Monday	92	67	
Tuesday	90	66	
Thursday	102	74	
Friday	90	54	
Saturday	89	58	

WILL COMMENCE TO BOOM THE CLAM BAKE

ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN WILL BE INAUGURATED NEXT WEEK.

Advertising for the Elks' clam bake, which will be held here Labor day, will commence in earnest next week and the big event is sure to draw hundreds of men to the city for the day. It will be heralded in every city in northern Illinois, eastern Iowa and southern Wisconsin. Every Elks' lodge in the territory will be asked to advise all its members that they and any of their friends are welcome to the event, and it is expected the affair will be the greatest of its kind ever held in this part of the state.

STARS AND INDIANS WILL HAVE BATTLE

TOMORROW CONTEST BETWEEN RIVAL TEAMS WILL BE OF INTEREST.

The Sterling Indians, recently reorganized, expect to win their first game of the season with the Dixon Stars at Athletic park tomorrow at 3 p. m. and therein lies one thing that promises to make the game one of the most interesting of the season, for the Stars have absolutely the same expectations. Consequently, there should be something doing for about an hour and a half when the two teams get together and somebody is going to be badly disappointed.

Cassell, the clever heavier who pitched the 14-inning 1 to 0 game which the two teams played last year and which, incidentally, the Stars won, will pitch for the Indians tomorrow and Lawler Conlon, who caught for the West Ends all last season, is slated to do the backstopping. Chas. Keenan, whose work last Sunday was the feature of the interesting game with the Elgin Athletics, will fling for the locals with brother Joe on the other end of the line. The game will commence at 3 p. m. sharp and a big crowd will undoubtedly attend.

TAKEN TO HER HOME

Miss Bessie Anderson who has been quite ill, was taken home from the hospital, and is feeling fine. Her mother is glad to have her home again.

Word has been received by Dixon friends that Miss Mamie Wright, who is spending the summer at a Michigan resort, is ill.

PAINTFULLY HURT.

Frank Nagle, who is employed at the Keyes, Ogden, Ahrens furniture store, was painfully hurt this morning when, while cranking an automobile, the handle slipped from his grasp and struck him in the face beneath the right eye, inflicting a bad gash which required the attention of a surgeon. Had the handle struck an inch higher the eye would probably have been put out.

HUBER IN MENDOTA.

Carpenter Huber, the clever Dixon pitcher, will go to Mendota tomorrow where he will pitch for Mendota against the Chicago All-Stars. He has recovered from the effects of being struck in the forehead by a batted ball at Peru last Sunday and feels able to pitch a good game against the Chicago players tomorrow.

TAKEN ILL SUDDENLY

Eldena Fischer, south of the city, was taken suddenly ill while at the Stephan & Rossiter barber shop today and his removal to the hospital was necessary. His condition is reported to be serious.

TO HAVE COLISEUM.

Freeport is considering the erection of a fine coliseum at the city's expense, as the state law provides they may. The idea is a very good one and could be put to good use in Dixon.

EARLVILLE CITIZENS MAKE UGLY THREATS

MICHAEL SLOWE IS CHARGED WITH MISTREATING SIX-YEAR-OLD GIRL.

Ottawa, Aug. 1.—Michael Slowe, a resident of Braceville, who was arrested in Earlville Wednesday, charged with mistreating Emily Reichert, aged 6 years, has been transferred from the city jail at Earlville, to the county jail at Ottawa.

Slowe is 23 years old, and following his arrest in Earlville, after he had been seen with the little girl in a railroad car, ugly threats were made against him by some of the Earlville citizenship. Fearing an attempt would be made to break down the jail door, Sheriff Mischke was notified and he immediately sent a deputy to bring the prisoner to Ottawa.

Slowe had been working on a farm in the vicinity of Earlville for some time, and for several days had been under the influence of liquor. Wednesday morning he seized the little Reichert girl and carried her to a box car near the elevator. The cries of the little girl were heard by Fred Wiley, a relative of State's Attorney Wiley, who ran to the child's rescue. Slowe became frightened and ran away. An effort was made to effect his capture and he was found hiding in some weeds.

The young man's father, who is a highly respected citizen of Braceville, called at the jail yesterday. The old gentleman was broken-hearted when he learned of the crime of which his son is charged. Slowe was held under bonds of \$2,500 to await the act of the next grand jury on a charge of attempted criminal assault. The defendant pleaded not guilty, although testifying that he had lifted the girl into the car.

RETURNS FROM BIG MOOSE CONVENTION

DR. FRIZELLE ATTENDED THE GRAND LODGE SESSION OF ORDER OF MOOSE

Dr. Frizelle returned last night from Cincinnati, where he attended the Grand Lodge convention of the Loyal Order of Moose. He reports Cincinnati very hot and crowded and says representatives were present from every state in the Union, the Philippines and the Hawaiian Islands.

While the Illinois delegation was not working any of the offices of the national body they helped very materially in landing the next convention at Milwaukee and in a double-the-order contest Illinois carried off the first and third prizes, to the Aurora and Batavia lodges respectively.

The location of Mooseheart, also in Illinois, which is well started, will certainly be a crowning achievement of fraternalism with its great farm of 1100 acres and the shops for manual training and great university, the corner stone of which was laid last Saturday.

BILLS MUST BE IN.

The city council will meet Monday evening and as this will be the first meeting in August the bills for the last half of the month of July will be paid. All bills against the city should be presented at the office of the city clerk before 10 o'clock Monday morning.

GRASS FIRE ALARM.

The fire department was called to the Gaffney pasture in the southwest part of the city yesterday to extinguish a grass fire. A chemical apparatus was taken in the patrol wagon and the blaze extinguished.

Fireman Killed in an Explosion. New York.—William Hammill, a fireman was hurled fifty feet and instantly killed the other day when an explosion wrecked a forty thousand gallon oil tank at the Kings County Cap Plant in Greenpoint. Three other men were injured. The victims were under the tank when the explosion occurred.

CHICAGO GLEE CLUB ENTERTAINED TODAY

THOUSANDS WERE DELIGHTED WITH PROGRAM THIS AFTERNOON.

EXPECT BIG CROWD TOMORROW

All of Northern Illinois Will Be Represented—Program for the Day is Very Good.

7:00 p. m.—Sunset Service at the Riverside.
7:15 p. m.—(B) Twilight Meeting, Miss Celia Lyday, Leader.
7:30 p. m.—(A) Musical Prelude, Chicago Glee Club.
8:00 p. m.—(A) "The Depot Lunch Counter," An entertaining Comedy by nine young men of Dixon.

SUNDAY, AUG. 3
9:15 a. m.—(C) Musical Prelude, Chicago Glee Club, Assembly Sunday School, Dr. L. A. Beard, Superintendent, Thos. Truitt, Assistant, Musical Sunday School, Missions, Offering for Nachusa Orphanage.
10:30 a. m.—(A) Divine Worship, Vocal Solo, Miss Florence Truitt. Sermon by Rev. S. P. Long, D. D.
2:00 p. m.—(A) Musical Prelude, Chicago Glee Club.
2:30 p. m.—(A) Lecture-Sermon, "The Personality of the Church," Ex-Governor J. Frank Hanly of Indiana.
7:00 p. m.—(C) Young People's Meeting, led by Miss Celia Lyday.
7:30 p. m.—Sunset Service at the Riverside.
8:00 p. m.—(A) Sacred Concert, Chicago Glee Club.

MONDAY, AUG. 4
8:00 a. m.—Boys' Club, Boys' Club Tent, Sec. E. T. Bailey, Director. Girls' Physical Culture Class at Girls' Tent, Miss Gertrude Lane Hill, Instructor.
8:30 a. m.—(C) Devotional Service.
9:00 a. m.—(C) Assembly Bible Hour, "God's Word for Me," Rev. E. G. Howard.
10:30 a. m.—(C) International Mission Study Class, Lecture based upon the home study book, "The New America," conducted by Miss Sarah Van Gundy, Washington, D. C.

2:15 p. m.—(A) Violin Solo, Miss Elizabeth Chaney, Rock Island, Ill. Lecture, "Africa in America and Africa Beyond the Sea," Dr. M. C. B. Mason, Col. Secretary of the Freedmen's Aid Society of the M. E. Church.
4:30 p. m.—(C) Round Table, "Modern Trends in Education," Prof. L. W. Miller, Superintendent of Lee County Schools.
7:15 p. m.—(B) Twilight Meeting, Miss Celia Lyday, Leader.
7:30 p. m.—(A) Concert, Dixon Marine Band.
8:00 p. m.—(A) Illustrated Lecture, "Heaven Temples," Dr. L. B. Wolf.
9:30 p. m.—(A) Moving Pictures.

Thousands were entertained by the Chicago Glee club this afternoon when they put on a full concert. It was proven that this male quartet is unsurpassed.

Their voices are fresh and the effects were very well sustained, while in the handling of larger intervals the voices produced a pleasing organ effect.

The club has a well balanced program. Every number was given with unerring artistic sense and fine technique. They captured their hearers with their first number.

The reader, C. H. Dixon, presents his characters from life. His Hoosier sketch, illustrated with poems by James Whitcomb Riley, and his original portrayals were among the best on the platform.

The club is composed of D. F. Thomas second tenor; J. W. Turner, first tenor; G. T. Henry, baritone; C. H. Dixon, basso.

The club will give a prelude at 7:30 this evening, at 2 p. m. Sunday and a full sacred concert Sunday evening.

Dr. Hoover Will Speak. Dr. Hoover will address the young people in Chautauqua hall Sunday at 7 p. m. Miss Lyday is congratulating herself on the fact that she and her young people will have the pleasure of hearing Dr. Hoover for the first time this session. Dr. Hoover arrived from Cathage last evening and will remain during the session.

Program Tonight At 7:30 o'clock this evening there will be musical prelude by the Chicago Glee club, after which nine young men from this city will put on "The Depot Lunch Counter." Secretary Bailey will have the affair in charge and will be stage manager, scene shifter, property man and advance agent.

The production will be humorous and must be seen to be appreciated. Among the young men who will "sing hash" to the waiting passengers are, Stanley Cryor, Charles Anderson, Dan McKenney, Ralph Bates, Rolland Greig, Byron Brooks and Norman Eichenberg.

It will be some production. Completes Her Work Mrs. John C. Hessler of Decatur, Ill., this afternoon completed her work with the Round Table. Her lectures were all excellent. Hundreds of women each day during the week heard this talented woman lecture on

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Social Happenings

Canoe Party.

A canoe party was given last evening in honor of Miss Pauline Tanner of Jefferson, Iowa, who is the guest of Miss Grace Altman. The trip up the river was made in three canoes, where a picnic supper was enjoyed. Returning the party pulled their craft side by side and drifted with the current to Assembly park, where a bathing party was enjoyed.

Motor From Chicago.

Dr. and Mrs. Merrett O. Hoover and two children will motor out from Chicago for an over Sunday visit at the home of Charles Cool of North Ottawa avenue.

Dinner Guests in Hollywood

Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook, Mrs. Lillian Morse, Miss Ruth Wilcox and Miss Theresa Morse were dinner guests Thursday evening of Mrs. M. A. Noble at her home in Hollywood, Cal.

Guest at Winders Home

Mr. and Mrs. John Wright of Freeport are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Winders of North Crawford avenue. Mrs. Wright was formerly Miss Ada Marteeney.

Sterling Club Picnic

About fifty Sterling club members enjoyed the picnic Wednesday afternoon at the Country club grounds on the Utley farm east of Rock Falls.

Birthday Surprise

Mrs. M. Dieterle of Milledgeville was given a surprise Saturday evening, when her children, with their families, making a large number, gathered at her home to assist in celebrating her 65th birthday anniversary.

Mrs. John Hoffmaster of Dixon was present and Mrs. Will Sayers of Prairieville.

Dance Tonight.

The regular Saturday evening dance will be given at Rosbrook hall this evening. The Marquette orchestra will play.

Entertained

Miss Lyle Brader of Chicago was the guest of her friend, Miss Clara Williams, last evening at tea and later the young ladies attended the Assembly.

To Sing.

The male chorus of the Lutheran church will sing at the services tomorrow morning and all are requested to be present.

S. F. O. Picnic.

The members of the S. F. O. club enjoyed a picnic yesterday afternoon at Assembly park.

Walked to Lowell.

The R. R. boys walked to Lowell park yesterday morning and enjoyed breakfast and dinner accompanied by Norman Eichenberg.

Dance Well Attended.

The dance at Illini hall in Grand

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Detour last evening was well attended, a large crowd being present. Many from Dixon, Polo and other nearby towns attended. A portion of Smith's orchestra furnished the music.

To Return to Dixon

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. White of Blessing, Texas, are expected soon for a visit in Dixon. It is more than likely they will remain in Dixon, having rented their Texas farm.

Motored to Dixon

J. Wolford, wife and family of Compton motored to Dixon in their machine for a day at the Assembly.

Motored Here

Mr. and Mrs. Donahue motored from Chicago in their car for a visit at the home of Mrs. M. Jordan, Reno Nev.

Attended Dance

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Unangst of Chicago, Misses Zela Heft and Marie Welch and Raymond Burrs attended the dance at Illini hall in Grand Detour last evening.

Guest at Salzman Home

Rev. T. F. Dornblaser of Chicago a former pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, is a guest during the Assembly at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Connie Salzman.

Is Guest of Friend

Mrs. F. Parsons and son Francis, Jr., of Darlington, Wis., motored to Dixon in their car, and are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Forsythe.

Attended Dance

Misses Nan Welch and Gertrude Hardesty and Will Kennedy attended the dance at Illini hall in Grand Detour, last evening.

Guests of Mrs. Winders.

Alexander Newell of Mercer, Pa., and daughter, Mrs. Redmond and W. A. Newell of Chicago a brother of Mrs. W. R. Winders of North Crawford avenue, will be her guests over Sunday.

To Sing.

Miss Brown of Meadville, Pa., will sing at St. Paul's Lutheran church tomorrow morning.

Married Today.

Today at 1:30 at the parsonage of the Christian church, Rev. S. Elwood Fisher united in marriage Miss Mae Haradon and Lee Hurlless, both of



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Polo. They were attended by Mrs. W. H. Hodge and a brother of the groom, D. V. Hurlless.

The bride was charmingly gowned in white embroidered voile with a beautiful picture hat.

After the ceremony the bridal party went to the Assembly to enjoy the afternoon, returning to Polo this evening, where the groom is a prosperous farmer. The couple have many friends who wish them much happiness.

City In Brief

Dr. H. J. Caldwell, late of Chicago, a specialist in chronic diseases, is permanently located at the Dewey hotel.

Mrs. George Graves of R 6 was in Dixon today.

Joe Knapp of Sterling spent the night with his parents in Swissville.

Miss Esther Baughman returned last evening from an extended visit in the west.

R. W. Sproul of Rockford is here for a few days' visit with North Dixon friends.

During the month of August, Dr. Boyd will be at Clinton, Iowa, in the office of Dr. Charlton, with whom he may become associated.

Joe Traveer of Grand Detour was here today.

Miss Pay Rice of Tampa, Fla., and her sister, Miss Pauline, of Carterville are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hemmen.

J. T. Lawrence of Palmyra was in Dixon today.

Earl Anglemeyer of Compton visited friends and transacted business in Dixon today.

Attorney Bartlett of Mendota was here today transacting professional business.

Supervisor E. J. Mannion of Harmon was here today transacting business.

Michael Harvey of Pine Creek was here today.

Commissioner M. J. Gannon went to Milwaukee today to spend Sunday with his daughters.

Patrick Duffy of Eldena visited friends and transacted business here today.

Clark Bellows and family of Polo

Too Late To Classify

LOST. Fountain pen. Return to this office or Miss Carson, 1209 West 4th St. \$2 6

WANTED. Middle aged person as housekeeper. Call at 78 1/2 Galena Ave. Eli D. Baker. \$2 3

WANTED. A cottage with garden by a reliable party. Horace L. Street, Gen. Delivery. \$2 3*

WANTED. Word from anyone who has an 80 to 120 acre farm to rent. Capable farmer; good references furnished. Lester T. King, Gen. Delivery. \$2 3.

FOR SALE. Cottage. We have for sale a 6 room cottage in West End. Good location, city and cistern water. Gas, sink, lot 50x150, good garden and yard. Cement walks. Price \$1400, \$600 cash, balance time. This is a good bargain. House is new. B. F. Downing, Real Estate, Loans and Insurance. Phone 293. Over City National Bank. \$2 3

LOST. Ladies' small gold watch between Geo. B. Seybert's and Frank Torgeson. Finder please leave at this office and receive reward, or notify Grace Adams, R. 2. Phone A-23. \$2 3*

TRY A

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were here today.

James and Peter Akeman went to Chicago yesterday for a short business visit.

John W. Duffy was in Mt. Morris yesterday on business.

Miss Anna Ryan of Sterling visited Dixon today.

FOR THE COOKING UTENSILS

Extra Shelves, According to One Housewife, Has Solved a Troublesome Problem for Her.

One usually has so many pans and cooking utensils that convenient storing becomes a problem. They are placed one inside of the other and



AT THE FAMILY

RECIPE FOR ENGLISH PICKLE

Astonishing Number of Ingredients in This Delicacy, So Popular Across the Water.

One good-sized cauliflower, three dozen gherkins, three quarts green tomatoes, one head celery, four peppers chopped fine, two quarts very small white onions, one-quarter pound mustard, two ounces white mustard seed, one ounce turmeric, one cup flour, one cup sugar, one gallon vinegar, one-half ounce each of clove, allspice and pepper (whole). Cut the vegetables in pieces, cover with salt and water in large stone jar and let stand 24 hours, or longer. After draining this off, when ready to proceed, put the spices in a bag, add to the vinegar the turmeric and mustard seed; allow these to boil up at once. All mustard mixed smooth, thin with cold vinegar, put in all the vegetables and let them scald until tender and yellow. Skim out the vegetables, add flour made thin and smooth with cold vinegar. Allow it to boil up once, and add one cup sugar. Return the vegetables to this and bottle when cold.

Cook a Tough Chicken.

A chicken which is too tough for roasting can be cooked and made most delicious by cooking it like a pot roast of beef. Let a good tablespoonful of butter brown in the bottom of a kettle. Brown the chicken thoroughly in the butter, turning it until it is well browned on all sides. Cover the bottom of the kettle with about two inches of boiling water and simmer until the chicken is tender. A large chicken will require about three hours. An otherwise quite inedible fowl can be utilized in this way. It will have none of the flat boiled taste.

ADDRESSED TO WOMEN

IS YOURS A
 Case of "Nerves?"

Hot flashes, dizziness, fainting spells, backache, headache, bearing-down pains, nervousness—all are symptoms of irregularity and female disturbances and are not beyond relief.

Favorite Prescription

is that of a famous physician unusually experienced in the treating of women's peculiar ailments. For forty years it has been recommended to suffering womanhood. Thousands of women can bear witness to its beneficial qualities. Perhaps its aid is all that is required to restore to you perfect health and strength. Now is the time to act, write Dr. R. V. Pierce's, Buffalo.

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Mrs. DOMING RODRIGUEZ, of San Francisco, Calif., writes: "I take pleasure in recommending your wonderful medicine, and wish to say in behalf of your 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery' that through their use I am now cured of the worst trouble that a woman is heir to. These medicines cured me when others failed and I therefore resolve to use no other. Thank you for your advice."

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Miss Dorothy North went to LaSalle this morning for a short visit with friends.

Ed Zoeller was in Sterling yesterday on business.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS.

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Illinois—In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of A. G. VanPetten, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of A. G. VanPetten of Sterling, in the County of Whiteside and District aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of August, A. D. 1913, the said A. G. VanPetten was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office, in the City of Dixon, Illinois, on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dixon, Ill., August 1, 1913.

HENRY S. DIXON,
 Referee in Bankruptcy.
 Brooks & Brooks, Attorneys.

Suffering Humanity Finds

that relief must be found for the ills which may come any day, —else suffering is prolonged and there is danger that graver trouble will follow. Most serious sicknesses start in disorders of the organs of digestion and elimination. The best corrective and preventive, in such cases, is acknowledged to be

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CLEARANCE SALE

Greater Price Reductions

During the balance of this week and throughout next week we will make a special effort to close out all of our Summer Goods at low prices will sell them.

Shirt Waists, Dresses, Suits, Skirts Wash Goods, House Dresses, Children's School Dresses etc. at a saving of one-fourth to one-half the regular price.

SHIRT WAISTS

4 dozen Shirt Waists in plain white and white with colored embroidery, also tailored styles high or low neck long or short sleeves values up to \$2.50 included in this lot sale price 89c

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All of our pretty thin dresses made of Voiles, Lawns, Tissue, Ginghams etc. in checks, stripes and plain colors. All late Summer styles at big reductions to close them out.

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O. H. Martin & Co.

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Dementown Doings

The Diary of a Bonehead

My wife's cousin and her husband and nine children spent six weeks with us in the city last winter and enjoyed with us the high cost of living to the extent that wife's jewelry had to go down to the old uncle's for a spell and we placed a first mortgage on our horseless piano.

When they parted from us tearfully at the end of their visit they said in that delightfully vague way so often employed by relatives: "You must run down to the old farm and see us some fine summer."

Although the invitation was so indefinite that it sounded like a politician's ante-campaign promise, or a woman's vow to obey in the marriage contract, we decided to take advantage of it this summer.

After selling our cook stove to buy gasoline we motored down to the old farm. That was yesterday. We expected to stay six weeks. We got back tonight.

Never again!

We like our old pat in the city pretty well, where it never gets over 100 in the shade, and the next time we want to take a little excursion in unhappiness or take a little flyer in misery we are going to start for Panama in the middle of July and loaf around the equator with the pellagra bug and the yellow fever melle. Our relatives had 16 summer boarders who were trying to win

back their jaded health by living on canned vegetables and dried herring. The name of the old farm is now "Pleasant View," which is a rather remarkable thing in itself, inasmuch as there is no view at all and very little that is pleasant. The rates are \$8 a day.

My wife's cousin's husband is a great business man. All of the rooms were rented and I had to sleep in a tent on a cot which closed up like a jack-knife about every 20 minutes and removed a porterhouse steak from my anatomy. The wife and kids slept in the corner which was light and well ventilated.

The people who are paying for it seem to have a good time, probably because they are paying for it and don't know any better. It certainly is tough to be poor and discriminating, but that is our fix and one night settled our desire for pleasant country life.

We found later that our cousin's husband gets all his milk and farm produce from the city every other Friday, early in the morning before any of his boarders are awake.

It is risky enough to accept invitations from friends without raving in where angels fear to tread and accepting them from relatives.

Potato Rusk.

Mix one cupful of mashed white potatoes, one cupful of granulated sugar, one yeast cake, softened in lukewarm water, or one cupful of liquid yeast; two eggs, well beaten; one cupful of milk and one-half cupful of flour. Let stand in a warm place until light. Then mix in one-half cupful of soft butter, flour enough to make a soft dough, and one-half cupful of raisins or currants. Let rise; then form into long rolls about three inches in length and one inch thick. Set in a greased pan to rise and bake about 30 minutes in a moderate oven.

Curtain Hints.

When "doing up" lace curtains fold them lengthways and starch the edges only. In this way an economy in starch is effected, the curtains look better and they do not so quickly wear into holes as when starched all over. When buying window shades get an extra set of catches. Put one set at the usual place, the other about a foot lower. In cold weather hang the shades on the lower catches and leave the window down from the top. This gives perfect ventilation and prevents the shade from blowing about.

Individual Coconut Pies.

Beat together the yolks of two eggs, one cup sugar, three tablespoons flour and pinch of salt. Add to one pint boiling milk and stir briskly until it thickens smoothly. Remove from stove, flavor with vanilla and add three-fourths cup shredded coconut. Pour into individual shells that have been previously baked. Make a meringue of whites of two eggs and a tablespoonful of sugar, and drop on pies. Brown in quite hot oven. These are truly delicious.

WATERY BLISTERS ON CHILD'S FACE

Kept Scratching Until Cheeks Fiery Red, Skin Cracked and Scaly. Itched and Burned. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. No Return of Trouble.

Smithville, Ind.—"Six months ago our baby girl, one year old, had a few red pimples come on her face which gradually spread causing her face to become very irritated and a fiery red color. The pimples on the child's face were at first small watery blisters just a small blotch on the skin. She kept scratching at this until in a few days her whole cheeks were fiery red color and instead of the little blisters the skin was cracked and scaly looking and seemed to itch and burn very much.

"We used a number of remedies which seemed to give relief for a short time then leave her face worse than ever. Finally we got a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I washed the child's face with very warm water and Cuticura Soap, then applied the Cuticura Ointment very lightly. After doing this about three times a day the itching and burning seemed entirely gone in two days' time. Inside of two weeks' time her face seemed well. That was eight months ago and there has been no return of the trouble." (Signed) Mrs. A. K. Wooden, Nov. 4, 1912.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment do so much for poor complexion, red, rough hands, and dry, thin and falling hair, and cost so little, that it is almost criminal not to use them. Sold by dealers throughout the world. Liberal sample of each mailed free, with 32-page book on the skin and scalp. Address postcard "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston."

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UNDER CRUST FOR TWO PIES

Mixture That Adds to Savor of Delicious Confection Worth all the Trouble It Involves.

Mix one-fourth teaspoon each of salt and baking powder with one cup of sifted pastry flour. Measure one heaped tablespoon each of butter and lard, and if they are soft spread them out on a plate and chill them. Then chop them into the flour until well mixed. Wet with cold water to a stiff dough that may be all taken up clean from the bowl. Toss out on a floured board and pat it down until half an inch thick and a long, narrow shape. Dredge it with flour and roll it over into a thick roll. Divide in the middle, turn each piece over and pat it out flat and if the paste sticks and is soft, lay it away in a cold place till firm and hard. Then roll out gently, keeping the shape round and even, and roll it a trifle larger than the plate, for as you lift the paste it will shrink slightly, and it is better to push it back toward the center of the plate if too large than to stretch it to the edge if too small. Lift the edge and press the paste down in the center that there may be no bubbles of air underneath. If you have the knack of keeping the paste round as you roll it there will be no edges to be trimmed off and no waste. Use tin or granite plates and merely dust them with flour, greasing is unnecessary. Remove the pies to earthen plates when baked.

This paste will make a very tender upper crust, good enough for every day pies, but for Thanksgiving we use puff paste.

SOME IDEAS ABOUT COOKERY

Improving the Flavor of Fish—Cream for Baked Beans—Preparation of Delicious Rice Omelet.

When fish of unpronounced flavor is to be boiled it is improved by the addition of vinegar to the water. If the fish is inclined to be tasteless half a pint of vinegar to an ordinary kettle of water will not be too much.

An old New England housekeeper has a cupful of rich, hot cream ready to stir into the baked beans when they come from the oven and before they go to the table.

Creamed toast in one family is prepared in this way: The bread is toasted and kept hot in a covered dish. Then a white sauce is made in the usual proportion of a cupful of rich milk or cream to a tablespoonful each of butter and flour, with salt to season. At the last, when the sauce is thick, two tablespoonfuls of grated cheese are stirred in, a teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce and a dash of paprika. It is poured over the toast.

To prepare a rice omelet as one cook does it, make a white sauce with a cupful of milk and two level tablespoonfuls each of cornstarch and butter. Stir in three well beaten yolks and a cupful of hot boiled rice. Fold in the stiffly beaten whites of the three eggs, season with paprika and a trace of nutmeg, and cook in the regular omelet pan. Serve with red currant jelly.

HUSBAND NAILED RUBBER ON GATES

Wife so Weak and Nervous Could Not Stand Least Noise—How Cured.

Munford, Ala.—"I was so weak and nervous while passing through the Change of Life that I could hardly live. My husband had to nail rubber on all the gates for I could not stand it to have a gate slam."

"I also had backache and a fullness in my stomach. I noticed that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was advertised for such cases and I sent and got a bottle. It did me so much good that I kept on taking it and found it to be all you claim. I recommend your Compound to all women afflicted as I was."—Mrs. F. P. MULLENBERRY, Munford, Alabama.

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Extravagance of Economy

"Robert," said Mrs. Tuttle, "I wish you would get a carpenter to fix that back porch; some will be hurt if it isn't attended to soon."

"All right," said Tuttle. "I know a man that will do it for one-half what a carpenter would charge. I think I can send him to do the job tomorrow."

"Robert Tuttle," exclaimed his wife, "I said I wanted a carpenter and a carpenter I am going to have. There shall be no more tramps and jobbers about this place!"

"Well, if you had to earn the money," protested Tuttle, "I think you wouldn't object so constantly to every effort I make to practice a little economy."

Mrs. Tuttle smiled. "Your efforts at economy usually prove to be boomerangs," she observed.

"Bosh!" said Tuttle.

"Perhaps you have forgotten the time I asked you to get a plumber to mend a leak in the bathroom and you sent a tramp tinner away out here," persisted Mrs. Tuttle. "He came with a bar of solder and a soldering iron, but no furnace; so he had to heat his iron on the kitchen range, and by the time he got to the bathroom with it the iron would be too cold to melt the solder. When he had made at least a dozen trips without results he decided that if he had more light he would succeed better."

"And he had the audacity to ask me to hold a candle for him."

"Well, I lay down under the washstand and held the candle for him until I had a fellow feeling for those East Indian fanatics who hold their arms in one position until the arms grow that way. Your friend's frequent trips to the kitchen gave me welcome opportunities to empty the candle grease out of my sleeve where it had dripped."

"Still, he evidently forgot that I was there, for he said several things that you would not like any one but your self to say in my presence."

"Another thing I didn't like was the reflection he cast upon my sex. He called the iron, the solder, the pipe—in fact, everything that made trouble for him—'she,' which seemed dreadfully unjust when I was faithfully giving my services."

"Finally he gave it up until he could borrow a soldering pot, he said. Then he wondered if I had anything sticky that he could wrap that pipe with in the meantime. I told him after a lot of thinking that I had some sticky fly paper, but I mentally hoped that I might not be asked to assist in adjusting it to the broken water pipe."

"I watched with misgiving the laborious process of cutting that sticky stuff into strips, and was not at all surprised that he was soon hopelessly stuck on the fly paper, or the fly paper was hopelessly stuck on him—there were times when I couldn't tell which. I could do nothing less than try to relieve him, so in a little while I had all the fly paper stuck on me!"

"We passed it back and forth, sometimes one having it all, sometimes dividing it equally, and then again owning it jointly—he being attached to one end of a strip and I to the other."

"That game went on for some time, when by sheer luck one strip stuck to the pipe and we lost no time in winding it around and closing the hole. But we forgot that it was the hot-water pipe, and when the water flowed the paper loosened and the leak was worse than it was when he began."

"I think you will recall," said Mrs. Tuttle, how we took turns emptying a tub that night to save the ceiling below. And the next day a plumber charged just about double the regular price to fix the thing because we had had a nonunion man fooling with it. I don't call that economy!"

"No, sir, I'm going to have a full-fledged bona fide, union-label carpenter to fix that decrepit back porch," finished Mrs. Tuttle with decision.

Tuttle waved his handkerchief frantically and said: "I surrender; please observe my flag of truce and let this slaughter cease. Have your carpenter; and if you think you can get through bossing him in time to meet me downtown for dinner I'll take you to the theater this evening. I've decided that it's economy to buy you off."

On the Shelf.

To the married woman and to the spinster alike it is always a shock to find that parties are being given for a younger set to which they are not bidden, for the realization that these younger members of society are classing them as "old" is not altogether pleasing. To the married woman this experience usually comes later than to the unmarried, for she will be asked to young gatherings when a spinster several years her junior will be omitted. Whether this is because her husband is still reckoned attractive, though married, or because of her utility as a chaperon, is an open question, but the fact remains. One spinster lately confessed that for several days after her first experience at being left out of a party she almost pinched herself, saying, "Can this be I that am so slighted?" for she dearly loved to dance and never had been a wall flower. Now she says she has slowly but surely been relegated to the dinner set, and there she cuts out the debutantes at every chance she gets in revenge.

THE BROADWAY GIRL

Sung with great success by Mr. John Blaney in Vaudeville

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diamonds by the score, She's a reg-lar fash-ion plate, the boys all say—
per-fect form and face, She's a dream of love-li-ness, you'll hear them say—

When you see her stroll-ing down the sreet, She's bound to cap-ti-
In her au-to' on the bou-le-vard, With foot-man by her

vate most ev-'ry one she meets— Be-cause the style and man-ners, they are
side, you 'bet she's just the card— And like a love-ly Ve-nus you will

su-per-fine— Of this gay and fes-tive beau-ty, Car-o-line—
see her shine— She's a dain-ty, dash-ing dar-ling, Car-o-line—

CHORUS.
She is a dai-sy, she sets them all cra-zy, She is a spark-er, A

talk-er, a cork-er, With dia-monds a-shin-ing, A flash-ing and blind-ing,

She's the fash-ion plate— up to time, Car-o-line, line,

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NEATLY CAUGHT IN TRAP

Wealthy Man for Once Called onto
Prove That He Loved Art for
Art's Sake.

Peter De Wint, the English landscape painter, was accustomed each year to have a semi-private show of his pictures before sending them to the Water Color Society's exhibition. On such occasions his friends frequently bought pictures, which, of course, appeared at the public exhibition marked "Sold."

Among the painter's friends was a wealthy man who wanted to appear a patron of art and at the same time keep his money. He managed this by loudly admiring the paintings already sold. He was always a bit too late to buy the pictures that pleased him most, and having seen them, as he went to declare, he could never content himself with less beautiful works.

De Wint at last suspected the man's sincerity and when the next show-day came round, he concluded to test him. After plenty of time had been allowed for De Wint's friends to make their purchases, the rich man arrived. As usual, his eye soon fell on two "perfect gems" marked "Sold." Turning to the artist, he said, "Now, De Wint, those are exactly the things I should like to possess; what a pity they are not to be had."

"My dear sir," said the painter, slapping him on the back, "I knew you would like them, so I put the tickets on to keep them for you."

The awkwardness of the situation was only relieved when the enthusiastic admirer became the somewhat unwilling purchaser of the two "gems." — Youth's Companion.

PASSENGERS HURT IN WRECK

Illinois Central Train Runs Into Open
Switch Near Evansville, Ind.

Evansville, Ind., Aug. 2.—Several passengers were injured when No. 301 passenger train on the Illinois Central railroad, northward bound, ran into an open switch at the edge of this city. The four most seriously injured are: Edward Kottrell of Boonville, Ind.; Robert Allen of Newton, Ill.; C. E. Connor, mail clerk, Evansville; W. C. Hotten, baggage man, Peoria, Ill.

Six women passengers suffered contusions. Blame for the open switch has not yet been placed. The train was going slowly when wrecked.

CHANCE TO EARN \$5,000

An exceptional chance is offered some one here to earn \$5,000 a year in a legitimate business, or over half that sum yearly by giving it attention only part of the time. Call on Montanye and Strayer at the Dewey Hotel, where proof will be shown.

Dramatic
Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

Arthur Turelly's musical act is a real treat, as he plays on a high-grade violin costing \$500, specially manufactured for a one-string violin and produces wonderful mellow tones, causing outbursts of applause, beside the operatic medley played by him on a mouth organ. Theatre goers should not miss this opportunity of hearing this artist.

The Paragon Trio are an excellent comedy, harmony singing and dancing act.

Pictures:
The Crooked Baubees, a drama.

PRINCESS THEATRE

On Monday night the Princess will show a special feature titled "Quick-sands," an American film featuring Warren Kerigan. Frank is in love with Helen Hubbard and lives beyond his means in order to buy presents for her. His father gets into financial troubles and Frank steals from his employer to assist his parents. Then to recoup he plays the market with his ill-gotten money and loses. He gets work on a schooner, is marooned on an island and meets Ruth, a missionary's daughter, then follows a story of how Frank is drawn to the island paradise and Ruth, the photoplay and acting in the picture being taken in the tropical islands of the South Pacific.

Mrs. D. C. Beard and her mother have spent the last few days at Pine Creek, with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Adams.

CHICAGO GLEE CLUB
ENTERTAINED TODAY

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how the home can be made more beautiful by close application to paper, furniture, decorations, etc., and all will try to carry out Mrs. Hessler's ideas. Five young ladies from Sterling, came every day to attend these lectures, among them two prominent domestic science teachers. These ladies with hundreds of others in Dixon and surrounding towns, pronounce Mrs. Hessler the best authority on Home Decoration, they have ever heard.

Monday afternoon Supt. L. W. Miller will discuss before the Round Table "Modern Trend in Education."

Sunday's Program
Sunday will be one of the strongest programs of the present session of the Assembly. The chief attraction will be ex-Governor J. Frank Hanly of Indiana. This man is well known here as a thinker, orator and man of public affairs. His subject for tomorrow is, "The Personality of the Christ." With a man as big as J. Frank Hanly to handle that subject the public can expect much and will not be disappointed. Ex-Governor Hanly is never idle. He is in demand always; he visits hundreds of chautauquas and is always greeted by large audiences.

With Mr. Hanly on the program is that excellent musical organization, the Chicago Glee club. This club played two concerts today that pleased thousands.

Services Sunday

General Supt. L. A. Beard of Polo expects to have 200 people at his school Sabbath morning at 9:15 o'clock. Rev. S. P. Long, the eminent divine of Ohio, will preach the sermon Sunday morning. Mr. Long delivered one of the best addresses at the Bible conference Friday morning that was ever delivered at the Assembly.

Before the Sunday morning sermon, Miss Florence Trough of Sterling will sing a solo. Miss Trough's singing is always highly appreciated.

Sunday evening the Chicago Glee club will sing a sacred concert.

Assembly Sunday School

At 9:15 tomorrow morning the Glee club will give a prelude at Chautauqua hall.

Primary children, 3 to 8, will meet at 9:30 in bible hall, taught by Miss Harriet J. Buffet. Subject, Jesus, the Helper and Savior.

Boy of all ages will be taught by E. T. Bailey. Subject, Moses, a Man Trained for a Big Job.

The girls will be taught by Miss Lyday and Mrs. Crammond. Subject, Hannah, a Young Woman of Strong Monday's Program

Reviewing the program for the first day of next week one finds that it will be a big day with a very interesting program.

On this day the usual Bible hour, in charge of Dr. Howard, is 9 o'clock. His subject is "God's Work for Man."

At 10:30 the Interdenominational Mission Study class will hold its first meeting for this session, and that much beloved woman, Miss Sarah Van Grundy, of Washington, D. C., returns to take charge of the class. Miss Van Grundy was one of the favorite women on the Assembly program one year ago. Her subject Monday forenoon will be, "The New America."

Mason Coming.

At 2:15 Monday the eminent Negro educator, Dr. C. B. Mason, will lecture on, "Africa in America, and Africa Beyond the Seas." Before Dr. Mason's lecture, Miss Elizabeth Chaney of Rock Island, will play a violin solo.

Dr. Mason is without doubt the most eloquent Negro on the American platform today.

Born in slavery; twelve years of age before he entered school, he has by perseverance, pluck and courage won high distinction as a scholar, educator and orator. The story of his early struggles which he sometimes tells in his lectures, is always listened to with deepest interest. He has traveled extensively in Europe, and has been for twenty years the corresponding secretary of the Freedman's Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church.

The Round Table

Monday afternoon at 4:30 in Chautauqua Hall County Superintendent of schools, Prof. L. W. Miller, of this city, will address the Round Table on "Modern Trends in Education." Prof. Miller has made one of the best superintendents of the schools that Lee county ever had.

Band Concert

At 7 Monday evening the Dixon

Marine Band will play another of their excellent concerts. After the band concert at 8, Dr. L. B. Wolf will deliver an illustrated lecture, "Heathen Temples." After his lecture there will be moving pictures by Joseph Dauntler.

Recognition Day

Next Tuesday is Recognition day, at which time Prof. I. F. Edwards, well known educator of this city, will deliver an address. He is so well known that it is assured that his audience will be large. He will speak in the auditorium at 2:30. At 2 o'clock the class will pass through the Golden Gate.

Tuesday evening the Dixon Band will play another concert, followed by a recital of Sybil Sammis MacDermid and James G. MacDermid.

Miss MacMillan Pleases.

A large audience greeted Miss Georgia Ray MacMillan, the reader, last evening. Her entertainment was well produced and pleasing to all. Her interpretations of child life and character were superb. Simplicity, grace and personal charm are among the other personal characteristics which always make an attraction on any program.

It is impossible to do Miss MacMillan justice by description for her art defies cold print.

Dr. Wolf to Preach.

Dr. L. B. Wolf of Baltimore will preach at St. Paul's Lutheran church Sunday morning. He is one of the strong preachers of the Lutheran church.

Concert Pleases.

Another large crowd attended the concert played by the Dixon Marine band last night.

The band will play another concert Tuesday evening.

Bible Hour.

Dr. Howard delivered a telling lecture this morning before the bible class on "Sin and Death." In defining life Dr. Howard said, life is the sum total of those things that resist death.

He gave examples of the rose on the hill and the cattle. The rose is rooted into the dark earth and picks up articles which nourish the leaves and flowers. It is alive. The cattle eat particles and take them into the body and make food for man and woman. They eat the meat and nourish their body and are alive. God breathed into the body of man and he also is alive.

If we drink impure water or eat impure food it poisons the body and make it possible for death. Sin is the transmission of the law of God. If man brings the law upon himself it is spiritual death. Men and women are violating the moral law of God which is called sin.

The adult class will be taught by Prof. Huber.

The offering will be for Nachusa Orphanage.

Geo. N. Mellendy and family of Thomson are camping with H. B. Green and family of this city.

Iowa People Here.

Among the Iowa people here are Rev. J. H. McCulloch, wife and daughter, Iowa City, Rev. Luther Bright, Newton, Rev. Leamer and family of Clinton, Miss Cora B. Long, Newton, Rev. F. Bollman, Oxford, Andrew Hans, Newton.

Twilight Song.

As twilight falls we come apart for quietness and rest; We come to meet our dearest Friend, truest and the best.

We come apart to rest awhile; Just you and I with Jesus, just you and I with Jesus.

We come for comfort that he lives to you and me and all Who at his feet submissive wait attentive to his call.

To Bethany where Jesus loved to rest from weary strife, With burdened heart we come for grace to bear the ills of life.

Chorus.

The words and music for the above song were written by Mrs. C. E. Wierick of Nachusa, for Miss Celia Lyday who has charge of the Bethany girls and the twilight meetings. The song was sung for the first time last evening.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Elizabeth Hinkley to Mabel Woolheather wd \$1 pt 13 blk 42, West Dixon.

George E. Ehrenborg to Otto Jenick, wd \$6400 nh nwq section 17, May.

Wm J. Pulver to Nellie E. Pratt wd \$13,950 und h int in swq sec 26; nh neq sec 35; swq neq sec 35; se1 neq sec 35; swq nwq sec 35 Willow Creek.

Mrs. Thos. Annis of Walnut is visiting Dixon friends.

Miss Ruby Snyder has returned from a visit in Chicago.

KEEPING DOWN THE ICE BILL

Home-Made Refrigerator Will Reduce Expense of That Summer Necessity at Least a Third.

Now that summer is here, all who are not fortunate enough to have an ice house of their own, but must depend on the ice company for it, with no competition to keep prices down, will be glad to know of a way to lessen consumption of this most necessary article.

The plan proposed is really a money saver. While a refrigerator and ice chest are not built the same, the "wrinkle" works in both. Procure a piece of thick felt, such as harness makers use. You can get it in white, gray or other colors, and it should be one-half inch thick. Buy also a piece of coarse wire, such as ash-sieves are made of, about one yard wide, or according to the length of your ice-box. Measure the bottom of the box and cut the wire and felt about one inch smaller all around, leaving that distance between box and pad so that the air will have free circulation. Have two pieces of wire and one piece of felt, the same size.

Soak the felt thoroughly, place it between the wires, place it in the chest, put the ice on top of it, and in fifteen minutes you will have one of the coldest ice-chests imaginable; that is, you will if the plan works the same for you as for me. It cuts the ice bill at least one-third. I have heard women advocate wrapping ice in blankets or paper to keep it from melting, and I always smile. It is the melting or evaporation of the ice that cools the chest, and those who put their ice in overcoats to save it lose more than its price in food unless they adopt a device such as I have suggested.—R. A. Bird.

Thousand Island Dressing.

Take one cup mayonnaise dressing, mix with one-half cup whipped cream, add small amount of Tarragon vinegar, one-half teaspoonful of imperial sauce, then chop one hard boiled egg, one green pepper, one pimiento, one pinch chives, mix well together and squeeze the juice of one lemon before serving. This sauce can be served with any kind of salad.

Bread Cutter.

A practical bread cutter is the one that is attached to the bread board. The knife is secured to the board by means of an arch-shaped piece of wood. The bread is pushed to the edge of the board and so the thickness of the slice is easily adjusted.

How to Clean Knives.

For cleaning knives raw potato is very good to use if the knives are very badly stained. Take a raw potato, cut in half, then dip it in powdered bath brick and rub the knives with it.

DR. STANLEY,
Surgeon Foot Specialist



Dr. Stanley will be in Dixon Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 5, 6, 7, at the Bishop hotel. All troubles of the feet treated. Calls made to all parts of the city without extra charge. If you have any troubles, pain or aching feet, we charge you nothing to make the examination and guarantee to be able to tell you the exact nature of your trouble and what to do for it. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone calls promptly attended to. Phone 666.

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Lewis F. Long Farm at Nelson

Lee County Farm at Auction. Must be Sold to Close Estate—113.5 Acres Highest Grade Corn Land.

The undersigned executors of the last will of Lewis F. Long, deceased, will on Tuesday, the 19th day of August, A. D. 1913, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the farm sell to the highest and best bidder the land known as the Lewis F. Long farm, and described as the East Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section No. 28 and all that part south of the public highway of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 21, all in Township 21 North, Range 8 East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, Lee County, Ill., containing 113.5 acres, more or less. This farm consists of first class corn land; the soil is heavy black loam. It is fenced and cross fenced with other good improvements consisting of 8-room dwelling; ank barn 36x60; double corn crib, house with good cellar and cistern; 26x32, shingle roof; hog house; chicken house; and tank house; one windmill and two never failing wells of good water. This farm is all tillable and lies within 2 miles of Nelson, a fine shipping point on the main line of the C. & N. W. Ry. It also lies midway between Dixon and Sterling, 6½ miles from each. One acre walnut grove, trees 35 years old.

TERMS OF SALE: Ten per cent of purchase price on day of sale; balance on March 1, 1914, when deed and possession will be given. Abstract showing good merchantable title will be furnished buyer.

Conveyances will meet the morning trains at Nelson on day of sale to take interested persons to farm for inspection.

For further particulars inquire of said executors, Dixon, Ill.

NORMAN H. LONG,
SAMUEL T. LONG,
Executors Aforesaid.

E. H. BREWSTER, Attorney.
CLARENCE E. GARDNER, Auctioneer, Rochelle, Illinois.

OUR FINAL CLEAN UP, THE LAST CUT

Lot 1

100 Summer Dresses-consisting of garments worth from \$1.50 to \$2.50 many styles to select from your choice \$1.19

Lot 2

50 Dresses worth from \$3.00 to \$5.00 your choice \$2.49

Lot 3

50 Dresses worth from \$4.50 to \$7.50 your choice \$3.97

Many finer garments at greatly reduced prices. One lot of Children's fall Jackets your choice 50c

A. L. GEISENHEIMER & CO.

Bread Cake.

One large cup of dough, after the first rising one cup of sugar, one-half cup of butter, two eggs, one-half teaspoon of soda dissolved in a tablespoon of hot water, nutmeg, cinnamon, one-half teaspoon of each, one cup of raisins, one-half cup of currants. Melt the butter and work with the hand into the dough until well mixed together. Add the sugar and mix well. Add the eggs, well beaten, and beat the whole mixture thoroughly. Now add the dissolved soda, stir again well, add spices, raisins and currants and beat again thoroughly. This is a delicious cake, although it takes some little time to make it. Can be frosted if you wish.

Salad Dressing.

Four teaspoonfuls of sugar, one teaspoonful of mustard, one-half cup of melted butter, one-half cup of vinegar, one cup of milk. Mix the sugar, salt and mustard together in a bowl, add eggs well beaten, then set bowl over steam of kettle, and add melted butter slowly. When it thickens add vinegar very slowly, then when it is as thick as cream add milk slowly, stirring all the time. Cook until as thick as heavy cream. Let cool. It will thicken more after it cools.

COAL TRUST QUIZ STARTED

Bill Offered to Learn If Road Has Monopoly.

Washington, Aug. 2.—Investigation of the "hard coal trust" was sought in a resolution introduced by Representative Murray of Massachusetts. The resolution calls on the department of commerce and the interstate commerce commission for information as to railroad ownership of anthracite lands and as to cost of production.

"I have every reason to believe," Mr. Murray said, "that there is on the executive departments enough data to show that between 85 and 90 per cent. of the anthracite shipped yearly is in control of seven railroad systems, which form the only means of transporting the coal to market."

"These roads are so bound together by common interests, by interlocking directorates and by agreements that they act as a unit in controlling the price of anthracite coal."

NOTICE

BEGINNING MONDAY, AUGUST THE 4th
THE FOLLOWING WILL BE OUR
PRICES FOR ICE

Residence coupon books 35c per hundred pounds if paid in advance, 40c if paid when book is out. Coupon books save you 12 1-2 per cent.

Ice from wagon 40c per 100 pounds.

Wholesale trade 1000 pounds or more at one delivery 20c per 100 pounds, less than 1000 pounds at one delivery 25c per 100 pounds.

On wholesale ice we will allow 5 per cent off for cash.

Coupon books for use at factory 20c per 100 pounds. Retail ice at factory 30c per 100 pounds.

Distilled Water Ice Co.

NOTICE

The Dixon Pure Ice Company gives notice that after August 9th our customers, both business and family, will be served by the Distilled Water Ice Company for the balance of the year. We harvested only 25 per cent of a crop last winter. The excessive heat of the summer has exhausted our small supply. To ship the ice in, at prices ruling, would necessitate doubling our prices to get our money back. Our coupon books not good with other company. Prepaid coupon books redeemable at Todd's Hat Store.

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TELL OF SIGHTS OF LONDON TOWN

JULIA MAY SCHOENHOLZ WRITES
HER MOTHER OF WORLD'S
GREATEST CITY.

The following interesting letter is from Miss Julia May Schoenholz, the daughter of our Scarborough correspondent, and is most interesting:—
London, England.
July 15, 1913

Dear Mother:—
In reply to your request for a letter concerning my idea of London, I will endeavor to tell you what I saw in my week's visit there.

We arrived at the station of the world's metropolis July 3th, and were greeted by taxicab drivers, no different than those of our own Chicago, except in charges, which they increased by giving us a fair view of the city before taking us to our hotel.

The next day after our arrival we hired cabs to drive us about the city for three hours. The first hour of my ride saw Hyde Park, Buckingham Palace, Albert's Memorial, Queen Victoria's Monument, Old Curiosity Shop, National Art Gallery, British Museum and the beautiful homes of the dukes and ambassadors, gave me the very vivid impression that London was the grandest city I had ever seen. But sad to say, before the drive was finished my opinion was greatly changed, for London has a slum district much lower than Chicago or New York's Bowery.

The entire city, as I saw it was one of two extremes. Of the eight millions of people, half or less, apparently swim in money, while the other half, poor creatures, live in shameful deprivation. One of the most interesting things we visited was the National Art Gallery. One could spend days there without tiring in the study of such artists as Holbein, Landseer, Rembrandt, Reynolds and Bonheur, whose works claim such a share of the wall. Landseer's animals are marvelous from their stand point of naturalness, while such pictures as Rosa Bonheur's "Horse Fair" appeal more on account of supreme beauty and grace. The Tate and Wallace Galleries are quite as wonderful, but not as large as the National.

The Tower of London was another feature of great interest. It has a very commanding position on the Thames.

The old prison where Robert Dudley, Lady Jane Grey, Phillip Howard and Geoffrey Poole and many others were imprisoned still stands with its walls marked by their own hand carving, which they did while imprisoned there.

The old chopping block, where so many lost their heads, is preserved as a great curiosity. The armory is a wonderful room with ceilings and walls of designs formed of guns and pistols, while armor of men and horses, on figures, stand about.

We were not admitted to the Crown Jewel room, because of the recent visit of a band of suffragettes.

The British Museum contains a most wonderful representative collection from each country of the world. Several things impressed me very much. One was the room which contained portions of the remains of the Parthenon at Athens, built about 438 B. C. The sculptured models were in a wonderful state of preservation. It reached far beyond my anticipation, created by the pictures in my ancient history. The Egyptian mummies were objects to cause one to wonder. The Egyptian people were believers in immortality of the soul, and that it would re-inhabit the body, hence they preserved their lead in such a way as to keep them in perfect condition of preservation for hundreds of years. The coffins were beautifully carved and painted on the inside. This wonderful art of embalming has been lost, showing one superiority of our forefathers.

A visit to Windsor Castle and Eton College gave us great pleasure. Eton College is very old, having originated in 1440. We feel some live interest in this school, because one of our Marshall Field boys is a student.

Being a school of great cost, only the best classes can attend. The school is honored by the attendance of a prince and by the entrance of the third son of King George. The boys all costume in Eton jackets and high silk stiff hats. Our visit to Windsor Castle happened to be on the day of the opening of the state apartments to the public. Such splendor in pictures, carpets, tapestry and antique furniture could never be surpassed. I can readily see how easily a king could be selfish in the

midst of such luxury. A groom showed us through the mews which contained fifty two beautiful horses, with barns of carriages to correspond. I have left until last the object of London I loved most, which was Westminster Abbey. Such men as Dryden, "O Rare Ben Johnson," Chaucer, Pope, Pitt, Fox, Fletcher, Addison and the famous Jennie Lind lay buried beneath the stone floor over which we tread while in the Abbey. To each is erected a most beautiful sculptured monument. Royalty is also buried there, but in tombs above the ground and in a secluded portion. Hundreds of pounds would not pay for the tomb of one king and queen. The Coronation chapel and chair were shown with great pride. Leading from one of the cloisters is old parliament hall, which contains old documents and seals of the government. If I had seen nothing in London but this most wonderful Westminster Abbey, of which I have said so little, I should feel that it was worth any one's time to come all the way from America to see.

Yours Truly,
JULIA MAY SCHOENHOLZ.

POULTRY CULTURE ARTICLE XI.

Free or Restricted Choice.

The poultryman who has money in abundance and is free to choose the best location for his undertaking, is fortunate at least in this respect. He may search until he finds the best place for establishing his business. Usually, however, because of his home associations, family ties, business connections, personal preference for a given locality, state of health, limitation of capital or other controlling conditions, the poultryman's choice of location is circumscribed. It then remains to select the most advantageous place of those that are available.

Sometimes one location only is possible and it becomes the duty of the poultryman to decide whether such location can be made to answer his purpose. An unfavorable location is more difficult to overcome than any other ordinary obstacle in poultry keeping.

Attractiveness Advises

The poultryman, while he considers the commercial advantages of a location, need not neglect the idea of natural beauty in the proposed poultry plant and its surroundings. Everything which makes his place pleasant helps to advertise his products. Friends, visitors, and customers will be agreeably or otherwise affected by the natural scenery and landscape effects. Pleasant views from the plant will leave enjoyable impressions, especially if the buildings, fences and tools all harmonize with their environment.

Convenience

A location should be chosen which will allow of a convenient arrangement of the buildings, yard, roads or paths and of easy communication with the highway.

This will make it possible to economize in many ways which will be fully considered in our course of study. It will tend to prevent dissatisfaction on the part of the poultryman and his helpers in planning and executing the details of the daily work of the plant. It is an important point that the location should permit and not prevent the best arrangement of all parts of the business. It saves trouble, loss and discomfort. It reduces the opportunities for offering excuses in the place of execution of duty. It lessens the occasions of discouragement and disappointment.—H. A. McKeene, Secy. Illinois Farmers Institute, Springfield, Ill.

Mrs. John Hutton has returned home after a two weeks visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Vincent and daughter, Miss Eva, of Malden, Ill., are visiting Dixon friends.

U. S. FAIR BOYCOTTED BY CZAR

Russia Refuses to Participate in San Francisco Exhibition.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 2.—The Russian government decided not to participate officially in the San Francisco exposition.

Berlin, Aug. 2.—Although the German secretary of the interior declared that Germany had not yet taken any action in regard to the question of participation in the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco in 1915, the opinion is freely expressed in official circles that the German empire will not be represented there. It was pointed out that the British government's decision not to participate settles also the action of Germany, as the only factor which might have induced the German government to bring pressure to bear on unwilling business men to exhibit was the fear of unfavorable comparison with Great Britain.

VENUSTIANO CARRANZA



General Carranza, leader of the Constitutional forces in Mexico and chief opponent of the Huerta government, is the governor of the state of Coahuila.

FACES N. A. M. ATTACK

Mulhall Ends His Hearing Before Senate Committee.

Witness Cross-Examined by Counsel for Manufacturers—Will Appear Before House Next Week.

Washington, Aug. 2.—With the statement that the counsel for the National Association of Manufacturers felt they had labored under a tremendous handicap in the cross-examination of Col. M. M. Mulhall, but that they did not "fele that the time had been altogether wasted," Robert H. McCarter turned Colonel Mulhall back to the senate lobby investigating committee, and the colonel reached the end of his 18-day examination.

Chairman Garrett and his associates on the house committee will permit the identification "in bulk" of the letters presented to the senate committee, then Mulhall will be given direct examination as to his alleged activities in legislative matters.

"We will take up his charges affecting members of the present house," said Chairman Garrett, "then his references to members of former congresses and to employees of congress, and finally to his alleged connection with matters of legislation."

Former Representative James E. Watson of Indiana, whom Mulhall attacked before the senate committee, will take the witness stand before that body Monday morning.

Officers of the National Association of Manufacturers were allowed to cross-examine him, the committee insisting that the questions be asked through its members.

The lawyers inquired about the National Council for Industrial Defense. Mulhall previously had testified that a collector for that organization had told him it raised between \$500,000 and \$700,000 for lobby work. He stuck to his story that the organization was solely a paper one in which a few officials of the National Association of Manufacturers became members.

The lawyers worried Mulhall by asking him about a "black list" of congressmen put in record two weeks ago. He could not explain the names of several Republicans alleged to have been put on the list by the Republican whip of the house.

When the committee questioned Mulhall on claims in his letters about naming chairmen and committees and placing friendly congressmen the lawyers tried to pin him down to direct answers on how he expected to do those things. Mulhall said he wasn't clear about it now, but thought Attorney Emery was to make the arrangements.

MINE BLAST INJURES 30

Accident Occurred in Shaft Near Sullivan, Ind.

Sullivan, Ind., Aug. 2.—Thirty miners were burned, one fatally and ten seriously, in an explosion of gas and dust at Jackson Hill mine No. 2, three miles east of here. The explosion occurred just as the 100 miners were preparing to leave the shaft for the day.

The explosion was a windy shot and had been placed in a room near the mine entrance. The blast sent a streak of fire down the entry hurling the men in all directions and the force of the explosion threw many of them against the shaft rib of the coal rendering them unconscious.

ASTOR ASSESSED \$2,741,833

Heir of Titanic Victim Must Pay \$88,959,599.

New York, Aug. 2.—William Vincent Astor will pay the state of New York a tax of \$2,741,833 upon his inheritance of \$88,959,599 from the estate of his father, the late John Jacob Astor. The tax was fixed by the surrogate.

City Gains 23,000 in Three Years. Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 2.—This city has a population of 324,900, according to the directory for 1913. The population in 1910, given by the federal census, was 301,103.

UNLESS WE START OUT WITH SOME OBJECT IN VIEW, THE END IS LIKELY TO BE DISASTROUS.
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IF YOU HOPE TO WIN,
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AMBOY

Amboy, Aug. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. McMannis and family are here from Chicago for a two weeks' outing. They have been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Honeycutt. They also have rented rooms at the W. P. Long home across from the City park and will spend some time there. Mr. McMannis is an attorney for Marshall Field & Co. Mrs. McMannis was formerly Miss Merrifield and lived here when a small girl and has not been in Amboy for many years. W. A. Green is her cousin.

A. B. Reinboth left for Aberdeen, Wash. this week on business. Aberdeen was formerly his place of residence.

Stella Klein is enjoying a vacation from her duties at P. M. James' law office.

Mrs. M. A. Peoples is visiting in Wisconsin.

Mrs. Chapin and daughter Jennie of Aurora were guests of friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Berry and family are camping at the Assembly. W. V. Jones is also with them.

Mrs. Gardner is visiting here, having rooms at the Saginaw home.

Miss Marie Flannigan of Freeport visited with her aunt, Mrs. Hammond, last week.

The Aschenbrenner pharmacy has received a new piano and player.

Mr. Reinhardt and Andrew Aschenbrenner and H. W. Hillison and Misses Maud and Margaret Theiss left for Dysart, Ia., to attend the funeral of Christ Aschenbrenner, who died there after a long illness. He visited here and at Lee Center only a short time ago and had been in poor health for a few years, but previous to his death was only ill about a month.

Ted Coates is still improving at the hospital.

Preparations are being made for the Lee county fair, to be held here in September. There is no doubt but what this year's fair will be the best ever held in Lee county. Nothing will be left undone to make the event a grand success.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Reinboth and daughter have been spending about a month here with relatives, on account of Mr. Reinboth's health. He has greatly recovered in health and the family have enjoyed their visit here very much. Mr. Reinboth has gained in weight considerably.

MRS. FISH GIVES FAIRY BALL

Guests Attend Arrayed as Characters in Old Nursery Rhymes.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 2.—Though it threatened to rain at every minute, the nursery rhyme and fairy tale ball given by Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish at her summer home here, Crossways, proved a success. No more unique party has been given by a member of the summer colony in a long while.

The ball was opened by a group of professional dancers. There stood at the extreme eastern end of the ballroom, in an alcove, a large reproduction of a book of Mother Goose rhymes, arranged so that the leaves turned and the various characters are allowed to enter the room.

The music changed and Mother Goose appeared from the book, taking a position at the side to introduce the various nursery rhyme characters. When all had entered they formed for a pretty quadrille and at the end fell back to reveal in the center, the witch with her cauldron and little devil. Fairies followed with a wild dance and this ended with two circles of whirling dancers.

WRECK OF TITANIC FOUND

Hulk Standing on End Near Newfoundland May Solve Mystery.

Philadelphia, Aug. 2.—Much of the mystery that surrounded the sinking of the White Star liner Titanic with 1,600 of her passengers on April 14, 1912, may be dispelled by the discovery of a wreck, believed to be part of the bulk of the ill-starred vessel, standing on end in the Atlantic ocean off the Grand banks of Newfoundland, virtually in the spot where the disaster occurred.

Captain Remnant of the British steamship Luciline, which arrived at Philadelphia from Bordeaux several days ago, reported sighting the derelict, and the United States hydrographic office has begun an investigation to learn more about the wreck. Lieutenant Commander Landenberger, United States Hydrographer stationed in this city, attaches much importance to the report.

Stuffed Cabbage and Pork.

Take a small, firm white cabbage, clean and wash in between the leaves without breaking apart, put in water and boil for 15 minutes. Take out and very carefully turn back the leaves and curl under until the center is open. Then very carefully put in a stuffing of raw, chopped pork (fresh pork). Lay in a little, then lay leaves back, then a little more, then turn back more leaves and season, until cabbage is all filled. Then carefully put the cabbage back into the cloth it was first boiled in, bring corners together and fasten securely. Put back into boiling water and boil again for 50 minutes or an hour. Then remove carefully from cloth, pour over it a rich cream or egg sauce and serve hot. Also nice cold. Veal can be used in place of pork.

A Durham Duplex Safety Razor FREE

With each 50c Plug of **CLIMAX TOBACCO** purchased at any Dixon store on Saturday August 2.

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STEWART ILLINOIS.

COMFORT IN KITCHEN

MODERN INNOVATIONS DO AWAY WITH MUCH LABOR.

Time-Saving Appliances Have Been Introduced and Become General—Fireless Cook Stove Proves Genuine Boon.

Nowadays the men who make things have turned their attention to providing the home, and especially the kitchen, with as efficient labor and time saving appliances and tools as an up-to-date factory can boast. The modern kitchen can be a thing of beauty and a joy even to the woman who works in it, so great have been the improvements made.

Take, for instance, the evolution of the fireless cook stove, a miracle working contrivance which banishes heat, steam, smells and standing over the stove watching the slow, tedious cooking process.

Lined with seamless aluminum, rust-proof, tarnish proof and durable utensils to use with it, and a cunningly contrived steam valve attachment which allows the roasting of meats and fowls, the baking of bread and pies, as well as boiling and stewing. It is indeed a wonderful convenience.

All that is necessary is to heat the soapstone radiators either on a gas or electric stove. Then the food, meats, vegetables, or whatever is to be cooked—cooks just as it is, and it is forgotten until the clock says it should be done.

It probably isn't known that every branch and variety of the cooking art can be successfully employed with the fireless cook stove.

The earlier models of these cookers showed a very cumbersome box that took up a lot of space in a small kitchen, but they have now been reduced to occupy waste space, and some of the later designs show them swinging on hinges under the kitchen table, where they may be pushed out of sight and out of the way while the rest of the meal is being prepared.

Another innovation for kitchen efficiency is a porcelain table with rounded corners and edges, which is seamless, unbreakable and unchippable, and at once becomes a molding board for pie baking or a meat board or bread board for cooking and slicing.

This is far superior to the old wooden table tops which became the "catch-all" for grease and other substances, owing to the surface being scored from knife blades while preparing meals.

The best thing of all about a kitchen table of this kind is that it can be kept spotlessly clean—really hygienically clean—by wiping off with a hot wet cloth.

Marshmallow Pudding.

One-half pound marshmallows, cut into quarters. Pour over these a can of shredded pineapple, dust with powdered sugar and let stand. When ready to serve whip one-half pint cream and cover pudding with same.

Grated Apple Pie.

Six large apples grated, one cup sugar, grated rind one lemon, butter size of walnut, yolk two eggs. Use the whites for the frosting on top.

NOTICE.

Inviting proposals for furnishing motor fire apparatus including fire truck, motor combination chemical engine and hose wagon and all other necessary equipment.

Notice is hereby given that the City of Dixon will receive proposals for the furnishing of motor fire apparatus including fire truck, motor combination chemical engine and hose wagon and all other necessary equipment at the office of the Mayor of said City of Dixon in the City Hall in the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois, up to Wednesday, the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1913, at the hour of two o'clock p. m., at which time and place the Mayor of said City will open said proposals and publicly declare the same.

All bids shall be sealed, and opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and shall remain on file in the Mayor's Office and be open to public inspection for at least forty-eight hours before an award of said contract is made to any competitive bidder.

The Council shall determine the most advantageous bid for the City and shall enter into a contract with the responsible party submitting the most secure bid.

The bidders in their proposals shall submit complete specifications of their fire apparatus and equipment bid on, and the price therefor, f. o. b. Dixon, Illinois. All such proposals shall be made on the best and latest standard type of the kind or make of fire apparatus and equipment proposed by such bidder.

Such guarantee or guarantees as may be determined upon by the Council of said City of Dixon shall be embodied in the contract of purchase when entered into between the City of Dixon and the seller. The Council of the City of Dixon reserves the right at all times to reject any and all proposals submitted. All proposals submitted shall be properly endorsed "Proposals for Fire Truck" and addressed to Martin J. Gannon, Commissioner of Public Health and Safety, Dixon, Illinois.

Dated July 20th, A. D. 1913.

Signed, COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DIXON.

By MARTIN J. GANNON, Commissioner of Public Health & Safety.

Oyster Stew.

For a good oyster stew add to one quart of fresh oysters three quarts of rich, sweet milk and one-half teaspoonful of butter. Salt and pepper to taste, put this mixture in a stew kettle and let boil about five minutes. Serve in bowls, while boiling hot, with crackers, pepper sauce, ripe tomato catsup, pickles and celery.

Spice Cake.

Two eggs, white of one, two cups of brown sugar, one cup sour milk, one-half cup butter (scant), two and one-half cups cake flour, one-half teaspoonful cloves, one-half nutmeg, grated. Bake same as other butter cakes.

Squash Pie Without Eggs.

Use dry squash (the Hubbard or others of same quality). Cut in suitable pieces and cook in a steamer only just long enough to soften so it can be pressed through a sieve. Too long cooking will make it watery and spoil it for a pie. Now beat milk to the boiling point only and turn immediately on the strained squash—using just enough to make a thick mixture—much thicker than when eggs are used. Add salt and sugar to taste; flavor with ginger or pure extract of lemon is good for a change. In deep plates this pie will take an hour for baking. Remove from oven when it ceases to bubble in center. Oven should be quite hot.

FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, caused to be filed in the County Court of Said County, on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1913, certificate showing the final cost of constructing vitrified brick pavement along and upon the driveway portion of East Second Street, East Third Street and Ottawa Avenue and the intersections common to said streets and avenues and other streets and avenues, constructed in said City of Dixon under and in pursuance of City of Dixon Local Improvement Ordinance No. 136, Series of 1912, and the amount estimated by said Board to meet accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate the collection of the assessment for said work. Said certificate also shows that said work has been done and completed by the Contractor doing the same in substantial conformity to the requirements of said Ordinance, and has been duly accepted by said Board and Council of the City of Dixon.

The final cost of said improvement and the amount estimated for interest as shown by said certificate are:

In Front of Abutting Property.

3733.28 square yards of brick pavement with sand cushion and sand filler at one and twenty-six hundredths (1.26) dollars per square yard . . . \$4703.93

150 cubic yards of macadam picked off and removed in shaping sub-grade at one (1) dollar per cu. yd. . . . 150.00

At Street Intersections.

1132.76 square yards of brick pavement with sand cushion and sand filler at one and twenty-six hundredths (1.26) dollars per square yard . . . 1427.28

5 cubic yards of macadam picked off and removed in shaping sub-grade at one (1) dollar per cu. yd. . . . 5.00

122 cubic yards of crushed stone to complete sub-grade at one and one-fourth (1.25) dollars per cu. yd. . . 152.50

Total cost of work . . . \$6438.71

Lawful expense 386.32

Total cost of improvement . \$6825.03

Public notice is further given that the court has set said certificate and any objections that may be filed thereto, for hearing at nine o'clock in the forenoon on Monday, the 18th day of August, A. D. 1913, or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. Said hearing will be held in the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois. All persons interested may file objections before said time set for hearing and appear and show cause why said petition should not be taken as true.

Dated July 25th, A. D. 1913.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DIXON.

By MARK C. KELLER, Their Attorney.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed proposals for the furnishing of the labor and materials for and the construction of Vitrified Tile Pipe Sewer with manholes, storm-water inlets and house-connection laterals, on East Everett Street, North Jefferson Avenue and East Fellows Street in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 146, Series of 1913, of said City of Dixon will be received by the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, at the City Clerk's Office in said City of Dixon, until two o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, August 11th, A. D. 1913, and will be publicly opened by the Mayor of said City of Dixon (who is President of said Board of Local Improvements) at a joint meeting of said Council and Board of Local Improvements to be held in the Council Chamber in the City Hall in said City of Dixon at two o'clock in the afternoon on said day. Said bids will be opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and shall remain on file in the Mayor's Office and be open to public inspection for at least forty-eight hours before an award of said contract is made to any competitive bidder. After the expiration of forty-eight hours, as above stated, said Council and Board of Local Improvements shall meet in joint session and determine the most advantageous bid for the City and publicly declare the same.

The work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 1644.18 cubic yards of earth excavation and backfill; about 523 lineal feet of 6" laterals (laid); about 260 lineal feet of 8" sewer pipe (laid); about 360 lineal feet of 10" sewer pipe (laid); about 815 lineal feet of 12" sewer pipe (laid); about 180 lineal feet of 10" storm-water pipe and traps (laid); Three (3) manholes, 4 feet inside with iron covers and iron steps inside, complete. One (1) manhole 3 feet inside with iron cover and iron steps inside, complete, and Six (6) cement headers at inlets as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 146, Series of 1913 of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn on some responsible bank and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon.

A bond of Sixteen Hundred (1600) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete, and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, bonds to draw interest at five per centum. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, maps, plats, plans, profiles and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications are on file in the Mayor's Office, and may also be seen at the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The Board of Local Improvements reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, July 30th, A. D. 1913.

Signed, THE COUNCIL AND BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON.

By MARK C. KELLER, Their Attorney.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed proposals for the furnishing of the labor and materials for and the construction of vitrified tile pipe sewer with manholes, flushing tank and house connection laterals to one foot inside curb lines in front of each lot or tract of land to be assessed in East Everett Street, from the manhole heretofore constructed in North Ottawa Avenue to a point 200 feet east of North Dixon Avenue, in the

City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 150, Series of 1913, of said City of Dixon will be received by the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, at the City Clerk's Office in said City of Dixon, until two o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, August 11th, A. D. 1913, and will be publicly opened by the Mayor of said City of Dixon (who is President of said Board of Local Improvements) at a joint meeting of said Council and Board of Local Improvements to be held in the Council Chamber in the City Hall in said City of Dixon at two o'clock in the afternoon on said day. Said bids will be opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and shall remain on file in the Mayor's Office and be open to public inspection for at least forty-eight hours before an award of said contract is made to any competitive bidder. After the expiration of forty-eight hours, as above stated, said Council and Board of Local Improvements shall meet in joint session and determine the most advantageous bid for the City and publicly declare the same.

The work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 1911.5 cubic yards of excavation and backfill; about 975 lineal feet of 8" sewer pipe (laid); about 162 lineal feet of 6" house connection laterals (laid); two manholes 3 feet inside with cast iron covers and iron steps inside, flushing siphon and outside lamp-hole, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 150, Series of 1913, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn on some responsible bank and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified check will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon.

A bond of \$1000 will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete, and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, bonds to draw interest at five per cent. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, maps, plats, plans, profiles and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications are on file in the Mayor's Office and may be seen at the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The Council and Board of Local Improvements reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, July 30th, A. D. 1913.

Signed, THE COUNCIL AND BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON.

By MARK C. KELLER, Their Attorney.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed proposals for the furnishing of the labor and materials for and the construction of Vitrified Tile Pipe Sewer with manholes, lamp-hole, storm-water inlets and house-connection laterals on Galena Avenue from the manhole at its intersection with Seventh Street to its intersection with the center line of Tenth Street, and on Tenth Street from the manhole to be constructed at its intersection with Galena Avenue to a point 235 feet westerly therefrom, in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 143, Series of 1912, of said City of Dixon will be received by the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, at the City Clerk's Office in said City of Dixon, until two o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, August 11th, A. D. 1913, and will be publicly opened by the Mayor of said City of Dixon (who is President of said Board of Local Improvements) at a joint meeting of said Council and Board of Local Improvements to be held in the Council Chamber in the City Hall in said City of Dixon at two o'clock in the afternoon on said day. Said bids will be opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and shall remain on file in the Mayor's Office and be open to public inspection for at least forty-eight hours before an award of said contract is made to any competitive bidder. After the expiration of forty-eight hours, as stated above, said Council and Board of Local Improvements shall meet in joint session and determine the most advantageous bid for the City and publicly declare the same.

That the work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 1375.6 cubic yards of excavation, about 74 cubic yards of rock excavation, about 1080 lineal feet of 12" sewer pipe (laid), about 260 lineal feet of 10" sewer pipe (laid), about 235 lineal feet of 8" sewer pipe (laid), about 650 lineal feet of 6" sewer pipe (laid); One (1) lamp-hole, complete with C. I. cover; Six (6) manholes, complete with C. I. covers and gutter inverts, and Six (6) cement headers at inlets as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 143, Series of 1912, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn upon some responsible bank and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon.

A bond of Two Thousand (2,000) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete, and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, bonds to draw interest at five per centum. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, maps, plats, plans, profiles and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications are on file in the Mayor's Office, and also may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The Board of Local Improvements and Council reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, July 30th, A. D. 1913.

Signed, THE COUNCIL AND BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON.

By MARK C. KELLER, Their Attorney.

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CHICKEN SERVED WITH ONION

One of the Most Appetizing Methods of Preparing Popular Delicacy For the Table.

If you like onions, try this smothered chicken. I cut a fowl in pieces to serve, put in from kettle (casserole would be better if you have one) with teaspoon of salt and boiling water to cover. Let it come to a boil on top of stove, then put in moderate oven and cook (covered tightly) five or six hours. If water cooks away more should be added, and if the top pieces brown turn them over so they will not be dry. But the water will not cook away much if the oven is not too hot. An hour before dinner I peeled a pint of small onions, not larger than a silver dollar, and put in with the chicken. To serve, I took out the chicken on to platter, skimmed out the onions and seasoned with pepper and salt, then thickened the gravy and served in gravy tureen. Had boiled potatoes, cranberry sauce and squash pie. For the next dinner I put the chicken in the gravy and heated; had baked potatoes, boiled celery and cranberry pie. Served the chicken in the gravy like fricassee this time.—Boston Globe.

Stuffed Fresh Shoulder. Stuffed fresh shoulder is quite a nice dish. Have the shoulder boned and stuff as you would turkey. Save all the small pieces that will not slice up good. Run through meat chopper, add two potatoes, one-half cup bread crumbs and a little gravy if you have some left and salt and pepper. Make into little cakes, dip in bread crumbs, then in beaten eggs, then in bread crumbs again, and fry brown in deep

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed proposals for the furnishing of the labor and materials for and the construction of Vitrified Brick or Block Pavement on First Street, Second Street, Hennepin Avenue, Peora Avenue and Monroe Avenue in the City of Dixon, Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 142, Series of 1912, of said City of Dixon will be received by the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, at the City Clerk's Office in said City of Dixon, until two o'clock in the afternoon on Thursday, the 7th day of August, A. D. 1913, and will be publicly opened by the Mayor of said City of Dixon (who is President of said Board of Local Improvements) at a joint meeting of said Council and Board of Local Improvements to be held in the Council Chamber in the City Hall in said City of Dixon at two o'clock in the afternoon on said day. Said bids shall be opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and shall remain on file in the Mayor's Office and be open to public inspection for at least forty-eight hours before an award of said contract is made to any competitive bidder. After the expiration of forty-eight hours, as stated above, said Council and Board of Local Improvements shall meet in joint session and determine the most advantageous bid for the City and publicly declare the same.

The work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 4578.04 cubic yards of excavation; about 831.29 cubic yards of clean sand, placed in cushion, and about 14974.3 square yards of vitrified brick or block pavement, placed, with filler of approved pitch or asphalt as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 143, Series of 1912, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn on some responsible bank and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of such checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon.

A bond of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

Payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, bonds to draw interest at five per centum. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, maps, plats, plans, profiles and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications for said work are on file in the Mayor's Office, and may also be seen at the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The Council and Board of Local Improvements reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, July 26, A. D. 1913.

Signed, THE COUNCIL AND BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON.

By MARK C. KELLER, Their Attorney.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed proposals for the furnishing of the labor and materials for and the construction of concrete curbing and vitrified brick or block paving on Third Street from the West line of Galena Avenue to the West line of Douglas Avenue in the City of Dixon, Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 140, Series of 1912, of said City of Dixon will be received by the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, at the City Clerk's Office in said City of Dixon, until two o'clock in the afternoon on Thursday, the 7th day of August, A. D. 1913, and will be publicly opened by the Mayor of said City of Dixon (who is President of said Board of Local Improvements) at a joint meeting of said Council and Board of Local Improvements to be held in the Council Chamber in the City Hall in said City of Dixon at two o'clock in the afternoon on said day. Said bids shall be opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and shall remain on file in the Mayor's Office and be open to public inspection for at least forty-eight hours before an award of said contract is made to any competitive bidder. After the expiration of forty-eight hours, as stated above, said Council and Board of Local Improvements shall meet in joint session and determine the most advantageous bid for the City and publicly declare the same.

The work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 5358 lineal feet of concrete curbing; about 6098.5 cubic yards of excavation; about 1721 cubic yards of new crushed stone in foundation; about 1147 cubic yards of clean sand in cushion, and about 20653 square yards of vitrified brick or block paving, placed, with filler of approved pitch or asphalt as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 140, Series of 1912, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn on some responsible bank and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been awarded and signed. The return of such checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon.

A bond of Thirty-five Thousand Dollars (\$35,000) will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

Payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, bonds to draw interest at five per centum. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, map, plats, plans, profiles and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications for said work are on file in the Mayor's Office, and may also be seen at the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The Council and Board of Local Improvements reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, July 26, A. D. 1913.

Signed, THE COUNCIL AND BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON.

By MARK C. KELLER, Their Attorney.

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At his own request Brig. Gen. William H. Bixby, chief of engineers of the United States army, goes on the retired list August 11 in order that Col. William T. Russell, senior colonel of the engineer corps, may become chief of the corps before his own retirement in October.

Baseball Results

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
New York	66 29	Brooklyn	42 48
Philadelphia	52 35	Boston	41 52
Chicago	50 46	Cincinnati	38 61
Pittsburgh	48 46	St. Louis	37 60

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
Philadelphia	67 30	Boston	48 49
Cleveland	61 38	Detroit	42 59
Washington	55 42	St. Louis	41 63
Chicago	51 51	New York	42 62

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
Milwaukee	45 43	St. Paul	48 56
Louisville	59 46	Kansas City	49 58
Minneapolis	58 47	Toledo	47 58
Columbus	57 48	Indianapolis	37 62

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
Denver	56 35	Omaha	50 54
Des Moines	56 44	Topeka	45 55
Lincoln	53 49	Sioux City	42 56
St. Joe	53 48	Wichita	40 64

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
Quincy	54 43	Davenport	45 49
Dubuque	51 45	Danville	48 51
Springfield	50 47	Bloomington	45 50
Decatur	49 49	Peoria	45 52

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
Gd. Rapids	56 35	Terre Haute	47 53
Pt. Wayne	52 42	Evansville	44 57
Springfield	51 50	Evansville	37 62

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
Ottumwa	53 35	Burlington	47 47
Muscatine	51 39	Keokuk	43 46
Waterloo	44 44	Kewanee	37 42
Monmouth	44 43	Rockford	37 42

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
Chicago	2	New York	3
Pittsburgh	3	Brooklyn	3
Cincinnati	1	Philadelphia	5
St. Louis	6	Boston	8

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New York-Chicago	rain		
Washington	3	Detroit	9
Philadelphia	3	St. Louis	5
Boston	2	Cleveland	6

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
Louisville	3	Columbus	3
Toledo	4	Indianapolis	3
Minneapolis	1	Milwaukee	2
St. Paul	11	Kansas City	4

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
Omaha	11	Wichita	1
Sioux City	11	Topeka	10
Des Moines	10	Lincoln	1
Denver	4	St. Joe	5

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
Decatur	1	Bloomington	0
Danville	5	Springfield	2
Peoria	5	Dubuque	4
Quincy	6	Davenport	4

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
Grand Rapids	8	Pt. Wayne	2
Dayton	2	Terre Haute	1
Springfield	5	Evansville	1
Waterloo	5	Monmouth	6

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
Cedar Rapids	3	Kewanee	4
Ottumwa	0	Keokuk	4
Muscatine	4	Burlington	5
Champaign	9	Streator	0

CLUBS	W.L.P.C.	CLUBS	W.L.P.C.
Kankakee	14	Lincoln	10

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